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AND ACQUISITION OF MEDICAL SERVICES AND PRODUCTS

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

In order to place the above-identified application in better condition for examination, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE ABSTRACT:

Line 23, after "activities." insert --An integrated life and health insurance product that integrates competitive bidding for health services with usage of death benefit equity for the purpose of life prolongation.--

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 7, line 2, change "death" to --health--.